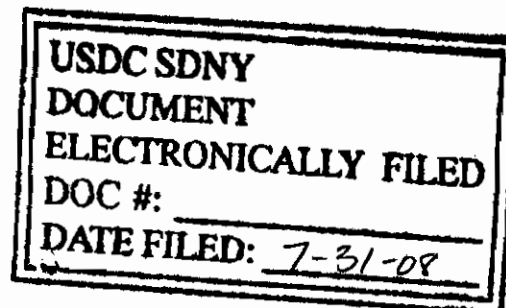


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Via Facsimile

Honorable Laura Taylor Swain
United States District Judge
500 Pearl Street
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Re: Marie Rupert vs. D&R Transport, Et al. 07 CIV 5788 (LTS)

Honorable Justice Swain,

I am the attorney for the Plaintiff Marie Rupert in the above matter. I was directed to appear by telephone, with you having granted permission at the conference that was held in the above-captioned action, July 25, 2008.

You were kind enough to extend permission to me to be available by telephone, and not be present in the courtroom. In spite of your permission, I was unable to appear in your courtroom, or to even be in my office to be available by telephone on July 25, 2008.

Regretfully, I suffer from a blood disorder called Myelodysplastic Syndrome. As a result my movements are restricted. I "passed out" on July 25, and it was impossible for me to be available by telephone or in your courtroom. I subsequently returned your telephone call, as did my daughter, Danielle. I also had informed Sarah, your law clerk, that I believe my client Marie Rupert's case, had been settled the previous day. You then issued an order, dated July 25, 2008, and signed by you, directing that I produce automatic disclosure materials to Defendant's counsel, required by Federal R. Civil P. 26(a)(1), no later than August 8, 2008.

I will do my best to comply with your Order to produce automatic disclosure materials no later than August 8, 2008, but I beg your indulgence and request that you extend the time for me to produce these documents until August 15, 2008.

Again, I apologize for my non-appearance before your Honor on July 25, and request you extend my time to produce the documents to August 15, 2008.

Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

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Application Denied
SO ORDERED

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